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SUBJECT: OAS REQUEST FOR SUPPORT

REF: BARTCH/WEISSMAN - PLATRSTELEPHONE CONVERSATION OF AUGUST 2.

1. CHARGE VISITED BY ALLEN SMITH, OAS COORDINATOR FOR HONDURAS, AND ULISES PICHARDO, OAS HONDURAS OFFICE DIRECTOR, ON AUGUST 2. THEY MADE REQUEST FOR U.S. SUPPORT FOR OAS OBSERVERS.

2. MAJOR SUPPORT REQUESTS FOLLOW:

A) USE OF ATTACHE PLANE BASED IN TEGUCIGALPA FOR TRANSPORT OF ARGENTINE GENERAL LUIS MARIA MIRO. FIRST STEP WOULD BE TRANSPORT OF GENERAL FROM SAN SALVADOR TO TEGUCIGALPA, PROBABLY ON AUGUST 3.

WE ASSUME THEY ENVISAGE CONTINUED USE OF PLANE AS REQUIRED;

B) HELICOPTER SUPPORT FOR OBSERVERS ON FRONTIER. THEY DID NOT REQUEST SPECIFIC NUMBER BUT THEY SURMISED SEVERAL WOULD BE NECESSARY;

C) COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT FOR MESSAGES BETWEEN FRONTIER OBSERVERS AND OFFICE IN TEGUCIGALPA TO FACILITATE OPERATIONS.

3. WE MADE NO COMMITMENTS AND INFORMED THEM THAT THEIR REQUESTS

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WOULD BE SENT TO WASHINGTON FOR CONSIDERATION. DEPARTMENT'S

INSTRUCTIONS REQUESTED.

4. WE ARE INFORMING OAS REPRESENTATIVES THAT THEY SHOULD PRUSUE
THIER REQUESTS THROUGH OAS WASHINGTON.
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